Program D: Health Services

Program Authorization: R.S. 15:821-840.2 and R.S. 36:401-409

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The mission of the Health Services Program is to provide the appropriate level of health care to the inmate population to meet their basic medical, dental, and mental health needs, thus allowing them to maintain their health and participate in institutional programs.

The goal of the Health Services Program is to assure that the health of all inmates is adequately evaluated and that proper and effective treatment is provided as needed in order to maintain their health and allow for participation in institutional programs to the extent possible.

The Health Services Program of the Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women provides medical services, dental services, mental health services, and substance abuse counseling (including a substance abuse coordinator and both Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous activities). The Health Services Program comprises approximately 18.6% of the total institution budget.

OBJECTIVES AND PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Unless otherwise indicated, all objectives are to be accomplished during or by the end of FY 2000-2001. Performance indicators are made up of two parts: name and value. The indicator name describes what is being measured. The indicator value is the numeric value or level achieved within a given measurement period. For budgeting purposes, performance indicator values are shown for the prior fiscal year, the current fiscal year, and alternative funding scenarios (continuation budget level and Executive Budget recommendation level) for the ensuing fiscal year (the fiscal year of the budget document).

The objectives and performance indicators that appear below are associated with program funding in the Base Executive Budget for FY 2000-01. Specific information on program funding is presented in the financial sections that follow performance tables.

1. (KEY) To allow for maximum participation of healthy inmates in institutional programs to the greatest extent possible on a daily basis.

Strategic Link: This operational objective relates to Strategic Goal I: To ensure that the health of all inmates is adequately evaluated and that proper and effective treatment is provided as needed.

		PERFORMANCE INDICATOR VALUES					
EL		YEAREND	ACTUAL	ACT 10	EXISTING	AT	AT
EVE		PERFORMANCE	YEAREND	PERFORMANCE	PERFORMANCE	CONTINUATION	RECOMMENDED
ī		STANDARD	PERFORMANCE	STANDARD	STANDARD	BUDGET LEVEL	BUDGET LEVEL
	PERFORMANCE INDICATOR NAME	FY 1998-1999	FY 1998-1999	FY 1999-2000	FY 1999-2000	FY 2000-2001	FY 2000-2001
K	Average cost for health services per inmate day	\$6.36	\$6.60	\$6.02	\$6.02	\$6.17	\$7.08
K	Percentage of inmates on regular duty	Not applicable 1	93.6%	90.9%	90.9%	93.6%	93.6%

¹ This was a new performance indicator for FY 1999-00. It did not appear under Act 19 of 1998 and has no FY 1998-99 performance standard.

GENERAL PERFORMANCE INFORMATION: MEDICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH TRENDS						
LOUISIANA CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTE FOR WOMEN						
	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL	PRIOR YEAR ACTUAL	
PERFORMANCE INDICATOR	FY 1994-95	FY 1995-96	FY 1996-97	FY 1997-98	FY 1998-99	
Deaths:						
Number of deaths from suicide	1	0	0	1	0	
Number of deaths from violence	0	0	1	0	0	
Number of deaths from illness	1	4	0	1	3	
Serious Illnesses:						
Number of positive responses to tuberculosis test 1	37	36	83	70	46	
Number of HIV	14	23	28	24	36	
Number of AIDS	5	2	10	2	3	
Number of sick calls	Not available ²	Not available ²	Not available ²	6,924	8,863	

¹ A positive response indicates presence of TB infection, but not necessarily active TB disease. Because inmates who test positive once are no longer included in the test base, figures for subsequent years reflect only new positive responses.

² Data for this performance indicator were not reported prior to FY 1997-98.

RESOURCE ALLOCATION FOR THE PROGRAM

Health Services	ACTUAL 1998-1999	ACT 10 1999- 2000	EXISTING 1999- 2000	CONTINUATION 2000 - 2001	RECOMMENDED 2000 - 2001	RECOMMENDED OVER/(UNDER) EXISTING
MEANS OF FINANCING:		1999- 2000	1999- 2000	2000 - 2001	2000 - 2001	EMSTING
STATE GENERAL FUND (Direct)	\$2,175,568	\$2,151,163	\$2,151,163	\$2,357,828	\$2,719,958	\$568,795
STATE GENERAL FUND BY:						
Interagency Transfers	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fees & Self-gen. Revenues	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Dedications	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interim Emergency Board	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL FUNDS		0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING	\$2,175,568	\$2,151,163	\$2,151,163	\$2,357,828	\$2,719,958	\$568,795
EXPENDITURES & REQUEST:		*****		*****		***
Salaries	\$1,313,325	\$1,256,323	\$1,256,323	\$1,340,237	\$1,692,613	\$436,290
Other Compensation	0	0	0	0	0	0
Related Benefits	200,301	185,189	185,189	198,801	226,714	41,525
Total Operating Expenses	309,666	378,068	378,068	387,746	378,068	0
Professional Services	332,938	326,193	326,193	403,474	394,993	68,800
Total Other Charges	265	0	0	0	0	0
Total Acq. & Major Repairs	19,073	5,390	5,390	27,570	27,570	22,180
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND REQUEST	\$2,175,568	\$2,151,163	\$2,151,163	\$2,357,828	\$2,719,958	\$568,795
AUTHORIZED FULL-TIME						
EQUIVALENTS: Classified	35	37	37	37	37	0
Unclassified	1	1	1_	1	0	(1)
TOTAL	36	38	38	38	37	(1)

SOURCE OF FUNDING

This program is funded entirely with State General Fund.

ANALYSIS OF RECOMMENDATION

GENERAL FUND	TOTAL	T.O.	DESCRIPTION
\$2,151,163	\$2,151,163	38	ACT 10 FISCAL YEAR 1999-2000
\$0	\$0	0	BA-7 TRANSACTIONS: None
\$2,151,163	\$2,151,163	38	EXISTING OPERATING BUDGET – December 3, 1999
\$33,209	\$33,209	0	Annualization of FY 1999-2000 Classified State Employees Merit Increase
\$24,492	\$24,492		Classified State Employees Merit Increases for FY 2000-2001
\$10,448	\$10,448	0	State Employee Retirement Rate Adjustment
\$25,570	\$25,570		
(\$3,390)	(\$3,390)	0	Non-Recurring Acquisitions & Major Repairs
\$322,877	\$322,877		
(\$33,128)	(\$33,128)		Attrition Adjustment
\$108,625	\$108,625		Workload Adjustments - Salary and Professional Services costs associated with the 100-bed expansion
(\$19,908)	(\$19,908)	(1)	Other Technical Adjustments - Transfer one (1) Typist Clerk position to the Incarceration program to
			properly reflect funding in the appropriate program
\$100,000	\$100,000	0	
			funding in the appropriate program
\$2,719,958	\$2,719,958	37	TOTAL RECOMMENDED
\$0	\$0	0	LESS GOVERNOR'S SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS
\$2,719,958	\$2,719,958	37	BASE EXECUTIVE BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2000-2001
			SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON SALES TAX RENEWAL:
\$0	\$0	0	None
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\$0	\$0	0	TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON SALES TAX RENEWAL
			SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON NEW REVENUE:
\$0	\$0	0	None
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\$0	\$0	0	TOTAL SUPPLEMENTARY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTINGENT ON NEW REVENUE
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\$2,719,958	\$2,719,958	31	GRAND TOTAL RECOMMENDED

The total means of financing for this program is recommended at 126.4% of the existing operating budget. It represents 87.8% of the total request (\$3,099,290) for this program. The increase in the recommended level of funding is primarily attributed to the adjustment necessary to fully fund the 37 recommended positions. A decrease of one (1) position is reflected due its transfer to the Incarceration program. This transfer will properly reflect funding in the appropriate program.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

\$394,993 Medical services for inmates - OB/GYN, psychiatrist, pharmacist, internists, optometrists and x-ray technician

\$394,993 TOTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

OTHER CHARGES

This program does not have funding for Other Charges for Fiscal Year 2000-2001.

ACQUISITIONS AND MAJOR REPAIRS

\$27,570 Purchase computer for the infirmary due to the expansion; labor and materials necessary to change out the oxygen system in the infirmary

\$27,570 TOTAL ACQUISITIONS AND MAJOR REPAIRS